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Sir

In accordance with Applicants duty of candor and good faith of the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, Applicants note that the 258 days of patent term adjustment as indicated on the Notice of Allowance mailed on September 20, 2007 for the above-captioned application disagree with the Applicants' own calculation of Patent Term Adjustment. It is hereby requested that the Patent Office verify the calculation of the Patent Term Adjustment for the present application.

Respectfully submitted,

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